

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-22. canceled

23. (previously presented) An input device for an electronic system, comprising:
a housing;
electronic circuitry for detecting user inputs and transmitting signals corresponding to said user inputs to said electronic system;
a scrolling element for providing a scrolling input signal;
a switch button mounted proximate to said scrolling element, said switch button upon activation providing a signal to activate continuous scrolling;
wherein said scrolling element comprises a wheel, and said switch button is mounted adjacent and in line with a rotational direction of said wheel; and
a second switch button mounted on an opposite side of said wheel from said first mentioned switch button, wherein said first switch button provides a signal for continuous scrolling in a first direction, and said second switch button provides a signal for continuous scrolling in a second direction.

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